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Atty. Ref.: 1035-561

Serial No. 10/520,928

TC/A.U.: 2814

Filed: January 11, 2005

Examiner: Kunzer, B.

For: PHOTOELECTRIC CONVERSION DEVICE, IMAGE  
SCANNING APPARATUS, AND MANUFACTURING  
METHOD OF THE PHOTOELECTRIC CONVERSION  
DEVICE

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May 30, 2007

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P.O. Box 1450  
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Sir:

**REQUEST FOR REFUND**

The November 2006 Deposit Account Statement for Deposit Account No. 14-1140 shows a \$450.00 charge for a two-month extension fee (Fee Code 1252) for application no. 10/520,928 (*see attached*). Applicant submits that this charge is erroneous and requests a refund.

A response to the Office Action dated June 15, 2006 was filed on October 16, 2006. October 15, 2006 was a Sunday and thus a one-month extension of time (fee = \$120.00) was needed to file the response. Accordingly, the charge of \$450.00 in the November 2006 statement for Deposit Account 14-1140 for a two-month extension of time for this application is erroneous. A refund of \$330.00 (i.e. \$450.00 - \$120.00) to

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Deposit Account No. 14-1140 is appropriate and is respectfully requested. For this purpose a duplicate copy of this paper is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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☐ Correspondence Address Indication Form Attached.☒ **NOTICE OF APPEAL**

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences

from the last decision of the Examiner twice/finally rejecting applicant's claim(s). \$500.00 (1401)/\$250.00 (2401) \$ 500.00

☐ An appeal BRIEF is attached in the pending appeal of the above-identified application \$500.00 (1402)/\$250.00 (2402) \$☐ Credit for fees paid in prior appeal without decision on merits \$ ( )☐ A reply brief is attached in triplicate under Rule 41.41 (no fee)☒ Pre-Appeal Brief Request for Review form attached.

☐ Petition is hereby made to extend the current due date so as to cover the filing date of this paper and attachment(s)

One Month Extension \$120.00 (1251)/\$60.00 (2251)

Two Month Extensions \$450.00 (1252)/\$225.00 (2252)

Three Month Extensions \$1020.00 (1253)/\$510.00 (2253)

Four Month Extensions \$1590.00 (1254)/\$795.00 (2254) \$

☐ "Small entity" statement attached.

Less month extension previously paid on \$ ( )

**TOTAL FEE TO DEPOSIT ACCOUNT \$ 500.00**

Any future submission requiring an extension of time is hereby stated to include a petition for such time extension. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency, or credit any overpayment, in the fee(s) filed, or asserted to be filed, or which should have been filed herewith (or with any paper hereafter filed in this application by this firm) to our **Account No. 14-1140**. A duplicate copy of this sheet is attached.

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